

## VBDC: Action Plan for Learning and Documenting Phase 2 Results

What will happen (Activity)	Dissemination channel(s)	By who/ Activity Leaders	When	Support needed
<b>1.</b> Produce project briefs (topics – based) to disseminate intermediate research outputs	Project meetings ; Institutional networks (VBA; GWP; Learning Group on WRM); for a; VBDC contact database	Mahamoudou	October 2012- June 2013	Updated information from project teams (V1 to V5); assistance of a professional writer/editor/designer
<b>2.</b> Produce and disseminate a short video on each project activities (e.g. PGIS, IP, ZonAgri modelling in action, etc.) and achievements to date	Project meetings; fora; YouTube	Mahamoudou	December 2012	Several unprocessed videos on each project field work already available. Additional information may be required from project teams. Assistance of a professional videographer may be required. Projects lack funds for this activity, so any support from CPWF global program will be useful here
<b>3.</b> Produce and disseminate press articles and press releases	Newspapers in Burkina and Ghana; GWP networks; VBA networks; CPWF networks	Sidi	During events such as the World Water Week, the Africa Water Week, the World Environment Day, VBDC reflection workshops, field tours, etc.	Outputs from project teams (V1 to V5)
<b>4.</b> Produce radio broadcasts to convey key emerging messages from research projects dealing directly with farmers (V2 & V3)	Community radios	Mahamoudou	August – November 2013	Inputs from project teams (V2;V3; V5)

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What will happen (Activity)	How (channels, etc.)	By who/ Activity Leaders	When	Support needed
<b>5.</b> Hold consultations/discussions with policy –makers( through VBA and GWP platforms), donors and key stakeholders at national level (through forums and individual meetings)	Representation and presentations (e.g. policy –briefs on specific topics) at their platforms; face –to- face interaction (for the development of the water charter; exploring collaboration opportunities)	Moussa	Regularly	Inputs from projects teams (V1 to V5); assistance of a professional writer/editor
<b>6.</b> Get involved in national multi stakeholder platforms (e.g. Learning Group on WRM in BF) in BF and Ghana for sharing research outputs for feedbacks and uptake of results.	Face –to- face interaction; field visits; project briefs; presentations	Karen , Moussa	Quarterly	Inputs from projects teams (V1 to V5)
<b>7.</b> Produce joint scientific publications on cross –project and cross –basin themes such as innovation platforms & student research outputs	Online meetings; cross – project/basin writeshops; African forum	Funke	January – November 2013	Inputs from VBDC projects teams (V1 to V5);inputs from basin research project teams; coordination from PLs; communication support from CPWF global
<b>8.</b> Produce and disseminate a short bilingual documentary video to disseminate intermediate or final research results from VBDC	National TVs in Burkina and Ghana	Mahamoudou, Karen	October – December 2013	Inputs from basin research projects teams; assistance from a professional film maker; dependent on innovation research outputs.
<b>9.</b> Transfer of key project data & outputs into VBA’s information and sharing system	Online database	Funke, Mahamoudou	November – December 2013	Inputs from projects teams (V1 to V5)